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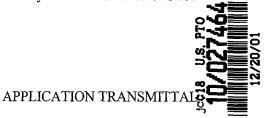
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## Enclosed are:

[X] Specification and Abstract - 49 pages.

[X] Drawings - 10 sheets (Figs. 1-20).

[X] Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

[ ] Information Disclosure Statement.

[X] Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment papers.

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Basic Fee			\$370	OR	\$740
Total Claims	40 - 20	= 20	x 9 = \$	OR	x 18 = \$360
Independent Claims	3 - 3	= 0	x 42 = \$	OR	x 84 = \$0
Presence of Multiple Dependent Claim			+ 140	OR	+ 280=\$0
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